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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

APPLICATION OF )  
CHRISTIAN WAMPRECHT ET AL ) GROUP NO.: 1714  
SERIAL NUMBER: 10/092,077 ) EXAMINER: P. NILAND  
FILED: MARCH 6, 2002 )  
TITLE: NEW POLYURETHANES AND THEIR )  
USE FOR THE THICKENING OF )  
AQUEOUS SYSTEMS )

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(A)**

Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sirs:

Applicants, by the undersigned attorney, respectfully petition the  
Commissioner of Patents under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the  
time for filing their response so that the Amendment filed simultaneously with this  
Petition will be considered timely filed.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited  
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Name of applicant, assignee or Registered Representative

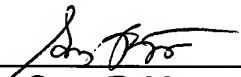
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Please charge the fee for response within the three month, \$950.00, to Deposit Account Number 13-3848. This paper is also authorization to charge any insufficiency of fees due with this filing to Deposit Account Number 13-3848. Triplicate copies of this paper are attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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